

Tin can drums

A loud activity for outside!

What you will need

- Empty tin cans of varying sizes.



What to do:

1. Wash your tins out thoroughly and ensure there are no sharp edges.
2. Remove any labels.
3. Push the open end of the tin a little way into soft ground
4. Find different ways to play the tins as drums.

Taking it forward

- Use really big catering tins.
- Decorate your drums.
- Play them with natural materials that you can find outdoors.
- Listen to the different sounds that heavy rain or pouring water will make on different sized tins.

What's in it for the children?

The children get the opportunity to recycle in order to create music. They can explore different types of sounds and the use of a range of natural materials.

